

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, HANCOCK COUNTY, FOR MARCH, 1921.

State of Mississippi,
Hancock County.

Be it remembered that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., was begun and held in and for said county at the court house thereof, in the city of Bay St. Louis on the 1st Monday in March, A. D., 1921, same being the 7th day of said month and the time and place for holding said meeting, there were present to-wit:

H. S. Weston, president; Jos. L. Favre, Jos. Moran, Calvin Shaw and W. E. Thigpen, members, A. A. Kergosien, clerk, E. Van Whitfield, Sheriff.

Whereas, at the February meeting of the Board a contract was entered into by and between the County and A. A. Stockstill for the estimating of the timber on the lands of Hancock County, and

Whereas, the said order through an oversight was not placed on the minutes of the Board.

Be it ordained that the following be now placed on the minutes now for the February, A. D., 1921 meeting.

Ordered that the County enter into contract with A. A. Stockstill to estimate all lands in Hancock County that has 1000 feet or more of merchantable timber to the acre on same.

County to pay 4 1/2 cts per acre for upland and 9 cts an acre for swamp land.

A. A. Stockstill appearing in person and agreeing to said proposition, said Stockstill to begin work at once and to complete same by first of July 1921 and to furnish to the Board figures by that date.

Said work to be paid monthly as his report is turned in and accepted by the Board.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

Centimen:

We, your committee appointed to view and examine route of public road commencing on Ansley avenue and ending near W. M. Favre on Mulatto Bayou beg to report that we have examined said route and find same practical.

JOS. L. FAVRE,
W. E. THIGPEN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of March, A. D. 1921.

H. S. WESTON,
President.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 29, 1921.

To the Board of Supervisors and Cattle Owners of Hancock County Mississippi.

The fact has been determined by the Mississippi Live Stock Sanitary Board and notice is hereby given that the Texas Fever Tick (Margaropus Annotatus), which transmits the contagious and infectious disease, known as splenic, or tick fever, exists among cattle in parts of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Therefore, acting under authority conferred by statute upon the Mississippi Live Stock Sanitary Board, made and promulgated under authority of Chapter 106, Laws of 1908,

It is hereby ordered and required that all cattle of the several named counties of the above named county be dipped in arsenical solution every 14 days until released from dipping by order of this Board.

It is further ordered and required that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, procure the necessary chemicals to be used in the dipping of cattle for the eradication of ticks and employ sufficient assistants and helpers of the county inspectors appointed by the Live Stock Sanitary Board as required by Chapter 167, Laws of 1916, in order that the dipping required by this order may begin March 1st, 1921, however at no time shall any cattle, horses or mules infested with said tick fever tick (Margaropus Annotatus) be permitted upon the open range, unfenced lands, for such is violation of Chapter 221, Laws, 1918.

MISSISSIPPI LIVE STOCK SANITARY BOARD.

By H. C. CHADWICK,
Executive Live Stock Inspector.

It being the opinion of the Attorney General that the County should appoint a tick inspector, therefore Charley Murphy be reappointed tick inspector.

Be it ordered by the Board that whereas there is now due the Hancock Bank \$20,000.00 and \$— interest on loan warrant due Hancock County Bank.

Be it ordained by the Board that a warrant for \$— for principal and interest be drawn from Loan Warrant Fund to pay the Hancock County Bank for said \$20,000.00 warrant and said warrant be cancelled according to law.

Whereas, there is now outstanding and due Hancock County Bank a loan warrant of \$10,000 and interest said loan being used for Road and Bridge.

Be it ordered that a warrant issue for \$— to cover principal, interest out of Road and Bridge Fund to pay said loan warrant of \$10,000 and said warrant be ordered cancelled according to law.

Whereas, the Board having decided to work Beat No. 4 by contract, except certain bridges as appears in plans and specifications on file and

Whereas, the said proposed sale of said road was advertised in a newspaper published in the County for time provided for by law and in manner provided for by law and it appearing that clerk did offer said roads for sale in manner provided by said bid and law, whereupon A. J. Bilbo bid \$3900.00 for said road and which bid was and is the highest accepted and A. J. Bilbo the said is given until March 31st, 1921 to file his bond within said Board.

CERTIFICATION OF LOCAL REGISTRARS FEES FOR REPORTING BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

Dr. C. L. Horton, certificate No. 541, District No. 350, Bay St. Louis, city, births, 94; deaths, 66; amount, \$40.00.

M. E. Sykes, certificate No. 542, District, Waveland, town precinct, births, 16; deaths, 7; amount, \$5.50.

Jno. G. Mohr, certificate 543, district 351, Waveland Town, births, 3; deaths, 0; amount \$1.50.

Calvin Shaw, certificate 544, District 3501, Cane Creek Precinct, births, 0; deaths, 1; amount, 75c.

Precinct, births, 9, deaths, 1; amount \$2.50.

W. H. Krankey, certificate 546, District 3558 Ansley, births, 1, deaths, 1, amount, 50c.

A. J. Bilbo, certificate 547 District 3560, Caesar, births, 8; deaths, 2; amount, \$2.50.

Oswell Smith, certificate No. 548, District 3561, Crane Creek Precinct, births, 2; deaths, 1; amount 75c.

G. O. Garriga, certificate 549, District 3562, Fenton Precinct, births, 14, deaths, 4; amount, \$4.50.

Dr. Felton Whitfield, certificate 550, District 3563, Flat Top Precinct, births, 9; deaths, 0; amount, \$2.25.

Theo. Tatenhurst, certificate 551, District 3564, Gainesville Precinct, births, 0; deaths, 1; amount 25c.

Alonso Nellums, certificate 552, District, 3564, Gainesville Precinct, births, 1; deaths, 0; amount 25c.

Anna Nicaise, certificate 553, district 3565, Kiln Precinct, births, 43; deaths, 9; amount, \$13.00.

Randolph Ladner, certificate 554; district 3566; Lakeshore Precinct; births, 12; deaths, 0; amount \$3.00.

Dr. A. Mead, certificate 555, district 3567; Logtown Precinct, births, 38; deaths, 23; amount \$15.00.

Thos. E. Dossett, certificate 556, district, 3568, Parker Precinct, births 23; deaths, 6; amount, \$7.25.

Dr. J. A. Mead, certificate 557, district 3569, Pearlington Precinct; births, 9; deaths, 6; amount, \$3.75.

Mrs. D. M. Ferrell, certificate 558 District 3570, Standard Precinct, births, 12; deaths, 6; amount, \$3.50.

I hereby certify that the above named Local Registrars have reported the number of births and deaths and are entitled to the amounts credited to each of them. You are hereby authorized to pay each Local Registrar, upon presentation to you of the certificate issued by me, bearing the same number as shown above as provided by Section 6, Chapter 149, Laws of Mississippi, 1912.

W. S. LEATHERS, M. D.
State Registrar Vital Statistics.

Jackson, Miss., Mar. 1, 1921.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Tucker Printing Co., 7.32

J. A. Mead, salary, 150.00

W. A. McDonald, excess deed, 1.87

W. A. McDonald, excess deeds, 21.85

E. J. Gex, excess deed, .62

A. L. Stokoe, lights, 8.64

Chris Reuter, palms, 8.00

Jos. O. Mauffray, supplies, 9.15

W. L. Bourgeois, supplies, 1.10

Bay St. Louis Water Works, 25.00

John Beecher, repair jail, 16.50

Sea Coast Echo, printing, Sec. 315, Code 1906, 4.50

Sea Coast Echo, printing, Sec. 315, Code 1906, 45.05

Sea Coast Echo, printing, Sec. 315, Code 1906, 15.25

M. L. Ansley, assessing 1 mo. laws 1920, 125.00

F. C. Bordages, assessor, 166.66

Sauv. Br. salary, 50.00

A. J. McLeod, bridge tender and oil, 35.30

Ben. F. Lee, assessing laws 1920, 100.00

E. J. Gex, salary, 75.00

S. F. O'Neal, salary, 200.00

A. A. Kergosien, Chancery Clerk's salary, (laws 1920), 229.16

A. A. Kergosien, circuit clerk 66.67

W. L. Bourgeois, supplies, 1.70

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Following bills come under Chapter 257, Acts 1908:

Zenon Nicaise hauling lbr., 108.00

Desire Ladner, nails, 4.50

John A. Haas lumber, 39.20

Alcidio Nicaise, labor 5 days, 15.00

L. M. Cuevas, labor 4 days, 12.00

Rosair Nicaise, labor 5 days, 15.00

C. W. Wood, labor 2 days, 6.00

P. L. Ladner, labor 2 days, 6.00

T. F. Lee, labor 1 day, 3.00

Claude Monti, accessories, 30.79

C. N. Moran, 17 days labor, 46.75

C. N. Moran, team hire, 4.50

A. Gariga, labor, 7.00

Bay Merc. Co., supplies, 46.75

Andrew Carver, wheelwright, 9.68

Ed. Kimmel, labor 16 days @ \$3.50 per day, 56.00

Paul Egloff, labor 16 days, 48.00

Dan Favre labor, 6.00

W. T. McLeod, labor 19 days, 57.00

Frank Cuevas, labor 13 days, 37.75

Leland Holden, labor 13 days, 37.75

Michael Lynn, labor 6 days, 16.50

Will Hylden, labor 11 days, 30.25

Roger Lee, labor 1 day, 2.75

T. F. Lee, labor 1 day, 2.75

Elgie Fenny, labor 7 1/2 days, 20.62

Elmer Beals, labor 7 1/2 day, 1.37

A. J. Little, nails, 30.00

A. J. McLeod, team 7 1/2 days at \$4.00, 30.00

Geo. A. Cuevas, nails, 1.05

Jos. L. Favre, inspecting R&B, 28.00

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General School Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

T. E. Kellar, salary, 135.29

Whereas, a petition by the Milton Line school endorsed by the Township trustees of Township 5, S. R. 15 West, praying for an allowance of \$80.00 as Hancock County's pro rata for the extension of two months after the expiration of the regular six months term and

Whereas, the Board is of the opinion that said school term should be extended, since there is ample funds to the credit of said Township.

It is therefore ordered that the clerk issue warrant from Interest Fund and Tp. 5, S. R. 15 West upon receipt of certificate of Superintendent.

Pursuant to legal advertisement and prior of publication file, asking for bids for County Home, there was only one bid submitted and that, the bid of John A. Schulthies for \$27.50 per month for each inmate, there being no other bid and the Board considering it a reasonable bid.

It is therefore ordered that said John A. Schulthies be and he is hereby

of County Home at the sum of \$27.50 per month, per inmate for year from March 1st, 1921, payable monthly upon bond being furnished in the sum of \$100.00.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

J. W. Vairin, oil, etc., 6.60

Cumb. T&TCo., rentals & tolls 32.80

E. Van Whitfield, arrest of Wm. Payton, 6.90

E. Van Whitfield, salary as sheriff (laws 1920), 250.00

Jos. V. Bontemps salary (laws 1920), 125.00

Mrs. E. Van Whitfield, salary (laws 1920), 100.00

E. Van Whitfield, conveying pauper, 5.00

E. Van Whitfield, stamps, 12.23

E. Van Whitfield, conveying Wm. Payton from Columbia to Bay St. Louis, 24.00

E. Van Whitfield, victualing prisoners, 56.70

T. E. Kellar, stamps, 7.50

John Schulthies, caring for inmates County Home and supplies, 48.00

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Caroline Mitchell refund taxes, 1.00

Dacia Mitchell refund taxes, 1.00

Thos. J. Thigpen, refund taxes, 1.00

Fritz Jancke, refund taxes, 93.93

Potivert & Favre Lumber Co., refund of taxes, 1.00

Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 a. m.

H. S. WESTON,
President.

TUESDAY MORNING.

Board met pursuant to adjournment present as on yesterday.

Whereas, under Chapter 187, laws 1916, the Board of Supervisors are directed to carry on the dipping of cattle for the eradication of fever ticks and

Whereas, said law makes it mandatory:

It is therefore ordered that Chas. B. Murphy, County Vet Inspector be directed to employ an inspector to every vat whose duty shall be to check up all cattle and report each dipping to him said vat inspectors to be paid \$2.50 per dipping for each authorized dipping and

Whereas, heretofore there has been numerous cattle killed and so paid for provided for by law;

Now be it ordered, that in the future no claims will be allowed and paid for unless the following stipulations are complied with:

1st. No claim for death by poisoning will be considered if animal dies 4 days from date of dipping.

2. No claim will be considered if made after 15 days after date of the death.

3rd. No claim will be considered unless claimant and witness appear before Chancery Clerk and make oath and filing said claim in accordance with stipulation No. 2.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

W. A. Whitfield, 1-12 contract on roads, 466.67

W. G. Thigpen, 1-12 contract on roads, 341.66

Francis Shaw, 1-12 contract on roads, 375.00

The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to advertise for 800 gallons of cattle dip of a formula approved by the Bureau of Animal Industry, and Department of Agriculture.

The Board having accepted bid of A. J. Bilbo on Monday day for the contract to maintain roads in Beat No. 4, hereby extend the time of filing bond to Saturday, March 21st, 1921, and direct H. S. Weston, the president of this Board and A. A. Kergosien, Clerk, to accept and approve said bond if they find same regular and on due form.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid from School Funds as pro-rata of Poll Taxes as follows:

City of Bay St. Louis, poll taxes, 1920 to February 1st, 1921, \$759.98.

Town of Waveland, \$99.98.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

H. S. Weston, inspector R. & B. 4 days, 28.00

W. E. Thigpen, insp. R. & B. 4 days, 28.00

Calvin Shaw, inspector R. & B. 4 days, 28.00

Jos. Moran, inspector R. & B. 4 days, 28.00

Ordered by the Board that the Treasurer of Hancock County transfer from General County Fund the sum of \$33.33 to the Tick Fund in order that the warrant of \$100 now outstanding since there is in the treasury only a balance of \$66.67, and that Clerk certify this transfer

JACQUES PISTACHE, THE INIMITABLE, WRITES HIS FRIEND COCO.

Tells About the Grand Benefit Ball to Be Given by the Woodmen For Clinic and Hospital Benefit Saturday, April 9th.

BAYOU GALERE, Mar. 8, 1921.
Mon Cher Coco:

Yo no hees been som time dat me I ain't rite yo, hein? Yes, mai, Coco, dat's on count de reezon dat me I wuz beezee so much; mai now dat I'm got de time I'm goin to tell yo yo all dem news wat me I no, yas.

In de premier place, Coco, I'm us tell yo yo dat dey got big beezeez in la belle Baie St. Louie apresans, yas, das lik dis:

Dey have one big meet by de Woodmen Halls las nite, an hole lot dem Woodmenmans was dare wid M'sieu Sovren Bob Toutines an at-tare de smoke him she die out we foun dat we (Noustre all Woodmenmans Coco) was going to give Gran Ball on de Seign Satdy de April—

das goin be on de nine of de mont, Coco—an yo mo better mak "range-mak to bring down yo hole doggon famille fo hav "good time, yas hein?

Coco, lemme tell yo dem reezon fo all dat froifroif, doggon das wat me I wuz beezee so much; mai now dat I'm got de time I'm goin to tell yo yo all dem news wat me I no, yas.

mai at furs dey aint goin call dat one hospitals, dey goin call dat one Cleenneek (I doan no ware dey git dat kine fool name, mai das wat dey goin call hein anyhow) anyhow I mak de reconle maseif dat dey no wat dey talk bout.

Docteur Horton, Docteur Smit, an Docteur Louie (not Docteur St. Louie, Coco, das Docteur Ham Louie), all dem goin take charge d'affaire wid dem Cleenneek, so in case yo come by de Baie wid dat secon han Fode wat yo bot by M'sieu Charlie Bret and yo git massage wid som

big hottemobile down by de Pose of rice, yo kin have. M'sieu Docteur fo make de explane wat dey mean by Cleenneek. I'm hope yo onstan wat I'm mean, Coco.

Dats goin be de mo bess ting wat never happen fo de Baie, Coco; dats wat M'sieu Emile Gex shees valet wuz tell me.

We goin mak de advertize all long de (Coco an de hole Delisse goin com, yas—an Pineville goin sen som peep, too, let one all dem nodder town.

Abien, cher ami Coco, yo doan want fogit de nine Avril; de price fo dem dance goin be 50 cent fo mans an 25 cent fo dem lady. An say, Coco, lemme tell yo somtoun, yo kin breang all dem ole peep wid yo wen yo come caus dem Woodmenmans saf dat dey aint goin stan fo dem chimistee wobble an dem "modder kine shakyouself beezeez, no. Dey got one comitee de planche (wat yo calls "Flo Managere) wat doan stan dem shame kine dance.

Yo mo we get one ferrys wat mak de ru cross de Baie all de time wid hottemobile an peep, an yo kin dross anytime dat yo want, yas, an de mans wat hone dat ferrys, dats M'sieu Drackett, he sa dat shees goin ron at ferrys dat nite so peep kin go back by dey hom wen dey git feeneesh wid dance, hein.

Abien, Coco, yo keep yo hye on dem almanac so yo doan fogit, an wen de day she come, yo crank dem Fode an make de reviefo fo Baie St. Louie.

Tell all dem peep howyo do fo me, hein.

Yo fren,
JACQUES PISTACHE.

to Treasurer.

Ordered by the Board that Clerk of this board advertise for bids for building road from Ansley avenue in a westerly direction ending at or near Wm. Favre's in NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Section 24, Tp. 9, S. Range 16 W.

Ordered by the Board that the report of the County Superintendent of Education be received and ordered filed.

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Vidalia Lbr Co., lumber, 595.36

Ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed and paid out of the General County Fund as per the attendance of the Board of Supervisors:

H. S. Weston, attendance two days, 14.00

Jos. L. Favre, attendance two days, 14.00

W. E. Thigpen, attendance two days, 14.00

Calvin Shaw, attendance two days, 14.00

Jos. Moran, attendance two days, 14.00

Ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn Board in course.

H. S. WESTON,
President.

BAY HIGH LOSES FIRST GAME IN TWO SEASONS.

Editor Sea Coast Echo:

The Bay High School Basketball team suffered its first defeat in two seasons Friday, March 4, to the fast tall, and rather heavyweight Cybur quintette, or rather Cybur lumber men, by a score of 19-14.

The game was hard fought throughout, both teams showing excellent form.

Although the Bay team was handicapped by one player, their crack forward, Robert von Ehren, and they never lost confidence but remembered the old saying, "Don't give up the ship" and showed the Cybur team that they could play.

Hammel Jackson was the individual star for Bay High, caging 12 of the 14 points scored. Randolph Firsching our center, caged the other one which was the first score.

Sea Coast Echo.

CHAS. G. MOREAU, Editor and Pub.

CITY ECHOES.

—Misses Wena Gex and Vivian Ducat were visitors to New Orleans for the day yesterday.

—A new stock of kodak films received at the Bay Drug Company. Our stock of films are all right.

—Have you made out your income tax report? March 15th is the last day.

—Mr. E. W. Drackett, manager of the ferry "Bay St. Louis," was a business visitor to Gulfport Thursday.

—The Lenten season is fast drawing to a close. Tomorrow, Paschal Sunday followed by Palm Sunday brings Easter on March 27th.

—Mr. James Sylvester, gentlemanly and one of our most popular young men, has joined the clerical force of the Bay Drug Company.

—Have you tried Velvet ice cream? You will like it, served at the Bay Drug Company's refreshment parlor.

—Mrs. R. de Montuzin returned home last evening from a visit of two days in New Orleans, visiting relatives and friends.

—Mrs. A. Smith, of Brookhaven, Miss., is here on a visit to the home of her son, Dr. A. P. Smith, in Carroll avenue, and will remain indefinitely.

—After a week's visit visiting her sons at college, Mrs. Frank B. Fox returned to her home at Jackson, Miss., Tuesday morning by way of Gulfport.

—The demand for local property, for purchase and rental particularly the latter, exceeds the demand. The summer will see many visitors here and promises to be a record-breaker.

—The Joseph F. Cazeneuve Insurance Agency, Bay St. Louis, has a display advertisement on page three of this week's Echo, worthy of your perusal and consideration.

—Having put in an entire new line of drugs in our prescription department we are better prepared to fill prescriptions, promptly and accurately by a graduate pharmacist.

—The Bay Drug Company, closed a lease this week for the smaller of the Urquhart cottages on the beach front, adjoining the Brandao home, and will occupy it as a summer home.

—Rev. Father Carey, assistant pastor of the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf, has returned from a visit to Canton, Miss., where he replaced Father Burns, the resident pastor, who was away recuperating from a recent illness.

—Mr. Joseph O. Mauffray has received a handsome Buick car that warrants the admiration of all who see it. This seven-passenger car is a 1921 model and is the very last word in the touring motor construction.

—Mr. E. E. Lucas, real estate specialist, was a business visitor to New Orleans Tuesday. He has a number of local deals on hand and we hope to make a number of interesting announcements of sales in the near future.

—The full proceedings of the March meeting of the Hancock County Board of Supervisors will be found on page two of this week's issue of the Echo. The Board adjourned Tuesday afternoon, transacting much business in a short session.

—Mr. A. J. Bilbo, brother of Gov. Bilbo, a resident of this county, was a visitor to the courthouse Tuesday morning mingling with his Bay St. Louis acquaintances. Mr. Bilbo secured a contract from the Board of Supervisors for the building and upkeep of roads in Beat No. 4.

—The resumption of active operation of the big sawmill at Kilm of the Edward Hines Yellow Pine Lumber Co. on Monday next is hailed as news of interest and value to that and this section of the county. The mill has been closed since the 1st of December.

—WANTED: To buy small farm with residence and outbuildings, located near good school. Must be cheap and on long, easy terms. Would prefer some livestock with place. Please give complete description and best terms in first letter. Address P. O. Box 744, Charlotte, N. C.

—Mrs. John Osoinach, who was taken to New Orleans recently, seriously ill, returned home this afternoon, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Bates, who will remain here a while on a visit. Friends of Mrs. Osoinach will learn with interest and satisfaction that she has recovered and that the surgical operation contemplated was not necessary.

—The beautiful Brandao dwelling on the beach front was leased for the summer season to Mr. L. C. Glenn, who, with his family, will occupy it for the coming season. The house will be remembered as the occupants of the Stokoe home last summer. Mr. Glenn is of the firm of Bernstein, Glenn Motor Company, New Orleans.

—Miss Isabelle Desimone is welcomed back to Bay St. Louis by her numerous friends and acquaintances, after a visit to relatives in New Orleans covering a period extending back to the time of the Christmas holidays. She was accompanied by her mother and sister, Miss Camille, who spent Sunday here.

—Editor Furr of the Piquette Item, one of the progressive successful weekly newspapers in the smaller towns of the State, was a visitor to Bay St. Louis Monday and a welcome caller on The Echo. Mr. Furr is one of the young and influential citizens of Pearl River county. He reports Piquette and vicinity prosperous.

—Mr. Edmund Fahey was taken to New Orleans Monday evening to one of the infirmaries of that city to undergo a surgical operation, following an accident a few days since. He is a son of Mrs. Lena Fahey and the young man and family have many friends here who are solicitous as to his early recovery and return home.

—Hon. W. J. Fleming, Jr., representative from Hancock County to the State Legislature, reading at Tigerville, was a visitor to the courthouse Monday, mingling with his many friends and supporters at the county seat. He is well informed, quite a student of current events, and his visits are always interesting and a pleasure to his local friends. The Echo acknowledges a visit from this distinguished citizen of Old Hancock.

—Mrs. Geo. H. Pitcher has returned from a visit of several days to friends in New Orleans.

—The Bay Drug Company announces a new and fresh stock of box candies. Make your gift selection from our stock.

—Mr. Geo. E. Pitcher, recently returned from a business trip to New York City, left again during the week for Chicago on a similar mission, and will return home by way of St. Louis by the end of the month.

—Mrs. James P. Fretet came out from New Orleans Tuesday evening, and is visiting at the home of Mrs. L. M. Gex and family. Following her recent bereavement, Mrs. Fretet has leased her home in Carroll avenue to the Judland family, regular summer visitors from New Orleans, and came over in the interest of supervising the packing of household effects.

—Mr. A. A. Stockstill, residing in this county near Piquette, appointed by the Board of Supervisors to officially estimate all timber in the county on land that has 1000 feet or more of merchantable timber to the acre, was a visitor to the county seat Monday, and a welcome caller on The Echo. Mr. Stockstill is very competent man and the Board has made a splendid selection.

—That cattle owners of Hancock county will again be compelled to dip their stock and the county put to the enormous expense as heretofore, is found in an order from the State Health Board, following an opinion by the Attorney General. Mr. Charles Murphy of Gainesville has been re-appointed county tick inspector. The names of deputies and the dates for dipping will shortly be officially announced.

—Mrs. Cassius Peacock and little daughters arrived from Atlanta, Ga., Sunday night and will spend the Spring months here. Before her marriage Mrs. Peacock was Miss Lorena Guerra and has a wide circle of friends to welcome her return to Bay St. Louis. She is domiciled at her mother's property in Washington street. Mr. Peacock will join his family later.

—Mr. J. J. McCraw, after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. B. C. Rush, has returned to his home at Vaughn, Miss. He is a candidate for the Legislature from Yazoo County, to fill the vacancy caused by death, the office of the election to be announced by proclamation from the Governor's office. The press of Yazoo County and county is unanimous in favor of his candidacy.

—St. Henry's Chapel was filled to overflowing Sunday night on the occasion of the closing of the most successful three-day mission, which closed the series of missions given here under the auspices of the Catholic church. Father Alexander closed with a sermon of unusual force and the result of his work will no doubt bear much fruit. It would be hard to estimate the number who received the Pappal blessing Sunday night.

—Mrs. H. M. Mattox and son, Mr. Lloyd Guerra, who reached here from Atlanta, Ga., to spend a few days in the former home town and to meet their many local friends again, left Wednesday morning for Los Angeles, California, where they intend to remain on a visit extending over a period of from two to three months, and where Mr. Guerra will recuperate his impaired health due to close and faithful application to office duties.

—Coach Foster Commagere of St. Stanislaus College is not only busy with the young athletes who are preparing for the annual spring meet, but has introduced calisthenics on a scale that occupies much of his spare time, but he is expanding his work and extending his services all the time and this is part of his program. With a larger attendance at the college than ever before, Coach Commagere is quite busy but the success of his pupils is a compensation that affords him much satisfaction.

—The intention of the local Camp of the Woodmen of the World was unanimously expressed at a meeting held Monday night to give a ball for the benefit of the Bay St. Louis Hospital. The ball will take place at the Woodmen Hall on the night of Saturday, April 9th, and various committees have been appointed with a view of making the affair one of the utmost possible success, and there is no doubt this end will be accomplished. The plan is to thoroughly advertise the affair and it is expected there will be representation from many points outside the city.

—Mr. S. E. Cowan, registered pharmacist, well and popularly known on the Gulf Coast, residing at Gulfport and later in Pascagoula, has been placed in charge of the prescription department and store managers for the Bay Drug Company, successors to the Powers Drug Co. Mr. Cowan has had years of experience in his profession and has the confidence of all who know him, and his coming to Bay St. Louis is another acquisition. Personally, Mr. Cowan is affable, attentive and ever solicitous to the interest and satisfaction of all with whom he comes in contact with. He is warmly welcomed to Bay St. Louis as one of its residents.

—Local society is on the tip-toe of expectation for the soiree dance to be given at the local hall on the evening of March Nineteenth. Printed invitations have been distributed at home and away and the attendance will be quite large. The invitations are quite unique and cleverly constructed: "For fun and frolic we invite you to the hall St. Joseph's Night, on March Nineteenth, at stroke of eight, the music starts, so don't be late. 'Tis Lenten Season's only chance to change the sackcloth for the dance; if work you have or cares beside come in, leave 'em there outside." The executive committee is composed of Messrs. E. J. Lacoste, E. C. Shields, E. J. Leonard, H. A. Ferrand, C. B. Penrose.

—Mayor R. W. Webb is in receipt of a communication from W. G. Huff secretary of the Slidell (La.) Commercial Club and Civic League, asking the cooperation of Bay St. Louis officials and privately in bringing pressure to bear upon the powers that be at Washington for aid in a road project for which \$250,000 in bonds has been issued. Bay St. Louis is vitally interested in this project as the road in question is one of the connecting links of the Old Spanish Trail and which eventually will connect Bay St. Louis with New Orleans.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

State of Mississippi, Hancock County, City of Bay St. Louis.

A regular meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall, on Saturday, the 8th day of March, 1921, at 5 o'clock, P. M.

There were present: R. W. Webb Mayor; W. C. Sick, Leo. Blaize, L. C. Carver, Aldermen; Alb. Jones, City Marshal; S. J. Ladner, secretary; absent, R. S. Blaize.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion duly seconded and approved.

The reports of the various city officers were read, investigated, and found correct and approved. The financial report was ordered spread upon the minutes the others filed.

STATEMENT FOR FEBRUARY 1921: Merchants Bank—City Depository, CITY FUND.

Balance last report—9486.98
February 14th—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1133 taxes 1487.76
March 3rd—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1146 taxes 7.50
R. W. Webb RW 1146 taxes 28.47
Geo. Scheib 1141 Imp Stock 18.00
Alb. Jones, 1145 licenses 4.47
W. H. McDaniel 1140 road tax 4.00
Macabees Ben. Assn 1144 rent hall 5.00
W. H. McDaniel 1139 M. ins 12.00

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—7556.98
Balance—3556.10

SCHOOL FUND.
Balance last report—6581.64
February 10th—Received—
Merchants Bank RW 1132 State aid 1738.99
February 14th—Received—
F. H. Egloff 1135 taxes 798.47
March 3rd—Received—
F. H. Egloff 1148 taxes 41.80

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—9155.90
Balance—4906.46

MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT.
Balance last report—184.62
CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—50.00
Balance—134.62

SINKING FUND.
Balance last report—12642.32
March 3rd—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1150 taxes 41.80
February 14th—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1137 taxes 1063.89

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—13747.31
Balance—13747.31

FIREMAN'S FUND.
Balance—174.55
February 17th—Received—
Hancock County RW 1138 1358.65

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—1538.20
Balance—1538.20

SCHOOL BUILDING FUND.
Balance last report—410.31
February 14th—Received—
F. H. Egloff taxes RW 1136 49.60
March 3rd—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1149 taxes 2.57

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—305.21
Balance—157.27

BOND FUND.
Balance last report—1187.49
March 3rd—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1147 taxes 2.57
February 14th—Received—
F. H. Egloff RW 1134 taxes 49.60

CREDITS.
By warrants to Board—1239.69
Balance—1239.69

COLORED SCHOOL FUND.
Balance last report remains same.
RECAPITULATION:
City Fund—3556.10
School Fund—134.62
Sinking Fund—13747.31
Fireman's Fund—1538.20
Street Fund—157.27
Bond—1239.66

Where Pure Drugs and Superior Services are Paramount.

The Bay Drug Company
(Successors to Powers Drug Company)
Beach and Main St. Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Our prescription department is in charge of Mr. S. E. Cowan, graduate pharmacist of years experience, whose knowledge and ability is a guarantee.

Our stock of drugs is new and dependable. Make no mistake. Have the Bay Drug Company fill your prescriptions. Efficiency and dependability counts—prices so reasonable as to warrant your return.

Our Soda Fountain department—with VELVET ICE CREAM—serves to your patronage. A Fresh Stock of Choice Box Candies.

20 for 20 cents
in air-tight packages.
Also obtainable in round tins of 50, vacuum-sealed.

Chesterfield
CIGARETTES
LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

They Satisfy

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ADVERTISED FOR WIFE, GETS WHOLE FAMILY.

It was mighty lonesome for A. D. Bentz, a prosperous farmer living in the Wiggins, Miss., neighborhood, in Stone County. There was no smiling visage to gaze on, no morning coffee; there was no gentle housewife to darn those hole-worn socks; nobody to fry the eggs as they should be fried and nobody to sit around and instill the "homey" spirit into the old farmhouse. Bentz was a bachelor.

"I know what I'll do," said Bentz. "I'll get me a wife and we can be just as happy all alone here as two cooing doves."

So Bentz advertised in a number of publications. He received several hundred applications. The task of selecting was a difficult one, but he finally picked his future helpmeet. He wrote her to come along. The other day the future Mrs. Bentz passed through Jackson enroute to Wiggins. She came all the way from Indiana. Her seven children, forming a regular human staircase, were with her.

Bentz did not faint, on the contrary he declared perfect willingness to go through with the contract, and the entire party journeyed to Gulfport where the marriage took place.

The finest truck garden in the State of Mississippi is in Bay St. Louis and the owner is Mr. W. A. McDonald, who is justly gratified at his success. The garden is about the earliest, and while it might not be the largest it is certainly one of the finest. There is a collection of all kinds of vegetables among which are noted carrots, collards, turnips, lettuce, beets, peas, mustard greens, parsnips, potatoes, tomatoes, corn, the latter three well advanced. This fine garden is in the rear of Mr. McDonald's dwelling and is the result of his work, and is not only a boost for others to follow. When asked what he attributed his success Mr. McDonald replied to The Echo reporter that he visited the place recently, early in the morning, well-fertilized soil and constant attention. His strawberries, planted only six weeks ago, are already supplying his table. It is not amiss here to say that Mr. McDonald combines the beautiful with his work, for on all sides he has planted a profusion of Shasta daisies, zinnias, nasturtiums, sweet pea, etc.

NOTICE TO CHEMICAL DEALERS
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County will receive bids for 800 gallons of cattle dip, of a formula recommended by the Bureau of Animal Industry, Washington, D. C., and the Mississippi Live Stock Sanitary Board.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. A. KERGOSIEN, Clerk.

On Monday, April 4th, 1921

Notice to Contractors.
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The Bay Mercantile Co.,

Offers for Week
March 14th to 19th

FOR CASH ONLY
One Lot \$2.50

Aluminum Percolators

AT \$1.45 EACH

The Bay Merc. Co.

THE WORST OF BUSINESS DEPRESSION IS OVER SAYS FORD.

IMPORTANT JOBS ABOLISHED IN ST. TAMMANY PARISH.

The worst of the business depression is over, Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, of Detroit, in a statement made Thursday. He declared that business was improving steadily in Detroit, and that similar gains should result in other parts of the country soon.

"Different conditions will prevail after the readjustment than before the war," he said. "There will be more economy in every way, but the volume of business will continually grow."

"The condition which is just passing now ought to do more for world peace and disarmament," Mr. Ford continued, "than all the writing and speechmaking and parleying in the world. The war brought on a false prosperity. What has followed the war has proved it was false."

Production of the Ford factories is "pretty nearly" on a prewar schedule, he added.

COVINGTON, La., Mar. 10.—The police jury has disconcerted the public by discontinuing the offices of the parish farm demonstrator, home economic agent and road engineer. The jury explains that its action is made obligatory by want of funds. The ousted incumbents are: M. C. Huckleby, road engineer; Felix Back, farm demonstrator, and Mrs. Davis, home demonstration agent.

Mr. Huckleby was one of the best paid men in the parish, his salary being \$450 a month, with an anticipated increase to \$500 April 1st. Many citizens vigorously protested against the elimination of the farm and home demonstration agents, and the association of commerce is appealing for a popular subscription to carry on the work until next meeting of the jury, April 12th, at which time it is hoped that the board will rescind its order.

Joseph O. Mauffray

HARDWARE:

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ETC., ETC.

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A CLEAN LINE OF

CAREFULLY SELECTED FABRICS,

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No wonder the fat man chuckled



I SWELLED with pride.
THE FAT man next to me.
WAS READING one.
OF MY cigarette ads.
AND I felt him chuckle.
NOW NO one had ever.
PRAISED THAT ad.
SO I had to ask.
IF HE liked it.
AND HE said, "Sure."
AND LAUGHED some more.
THEN HE said.
"LOOK HERE" and pointed.
AND WHERE I'd written.
"PURE TOBACCO."
THE PRINTER had set.
"PURE TABASCO."
AND THAT'S why the man.
THOUGHT MY ad.

WAS HOT stuff.
BUT THEN he said.
"FORGET THE ads.
I NEVER read 'em.
BUT LET ME tell you.
SOMETHING DIFFERENT.
THEY OUGHT to say.
ABOUT THAT cigarette.
AND THAT is this.
THEY SATISFY."
AND DARNED if I don't think.
HE REALLY believed.
HE WAS giving me.
SOMETHING NEW.

YOU can blame it on the printer if you don't see "They Satisfy" in a Chesterfield advertisement. But be sure of this—you'll find it in the cigarette every time. Wonderful Turkish and Domestic tobaccos, wonderfully blended—it sounds easy. But you'll find nothing else like Chesterfields. That blend can't be copied.

Chesterfield
CIGARETTES
LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.